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Began Service: May 20, 1987
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan
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Indiana (1972)**Judicial:** Judge, Indiana Circuit Court, 30th Judicial Circuit (1972-1982);
Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Indiana
(1982-1987)**Legal Practice:** Associate, Nesbitt & Fisher (1968-1971); Sole Practitioner
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Chicago-Kent 1966 JD
Began Service: August 17, 1992
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Chief Judge James B. Parsons, United States
District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1972-1973)**Government:** Assistant U.S. Attorney, Northern District of Illinois,
Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice
(1973-1977); Deputy Chief, Northern District of Illinois, Public Protection
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District of Illinois, Public Protection Unit, United States Department of
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Circuit JudgeDate of Birth: July 4, 1950
Education: Texas 1971 BA, 1975 JD
Began Service: July 24, 1995
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton
Political Affiliation: Democrat**Academic:** Assistant Professor, Georgetown University (1980-1981);
Professor, Law School, University of Chicago (1981-1995); Visiting
Assistant Professor, Law School, Cornell University (1985-1986);
Associate Dean, Law School, University of Chicago (1989-1992); Senior
Lecturer in Law, Law School, University of Chicago (1995-2006)**Chambers of Circuit Judge Diane Pamela Wood** *continued***Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Judge Irving L. Goldberg, United States Court of
Appeals for the Fifth Circuit (1975-1976); Law Clerk, Associate Justice
Harry A. Blackmun, Supreme Court of the United States (1976-1977)**Government:** Attorney-Advisor, Office of the Legal Advisor, United States
Department of State (1977-1978); Special Assistant to the Assistant
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Circuit JudgeDate of Birth: 1949
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Appointed By: President William J. Clinton**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Robert A. Sprecher, United States
Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit (1975-1976)**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of
Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1976-1985)**Judicial:** District Judge, United States District Court for the Northern
District of Illinois (1985-1999)**Nonprofit:** Secretary and Board Member and Faculty, National Institute for
Trial Advocacy (1979); Equal Justice Works (2001); Secretary, Board of
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